

These six broadcast ownership rules are absolutely "necessary in the public interest as a result of competition." Disparate news sources provide the opportunity for our citizenry to make informed decisions. Homogeneous news sources do not. Striking these rules will enable fewer corporations to have greater control over the dissemination of information. The public is entitled to more than lowest-common-denominator media. I bitterly oppose the removal of any or all of these six rules. Sincerely, Gerald Lund III